

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

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In re the Application of: ITOH, Muneharu

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For: TONER AND IMAGE-FORMING METHOD THEREWITH



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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Date: March 3, 2006

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated **September 7, 2005** of the Primary Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

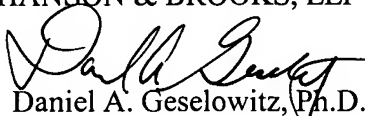
1. XX A petition for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Final Rejection is concurrently filed herewith.
2. XX A timely response to the Final Rejection is concurrently filed herewith, as provided in 37 C.F.R. 1.113.
3. XX Fee - \$1,520.00 (\$500.00 for Notice of Appeal filing fee and \$1,020.00 for three-month extension fee)

XX Enclosed

In the event this Notice of Appeal is not considered to be timely filed, Applicant hereby petitions for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this Notice.

Respectfully submitted,

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